

The Herald and News

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PAY FOR ADVERTISING ELECTION NOTICES.

There seems to be some misunderstanding as to the proper charge for advertising election notices for the general election. Some years ago there was a law passed providing that all legal advertising should be on the word basis. That was not satisfactory and a subsequent law was passed fixing the rate at one dollar an inch for the first insertion, and fifty cents an inch for each subsequent insertion. This is the law now in force and is the same as the old law which was in force prior to the adoption of the word rate, except that it provides that the type used shall not be larger than solid, and if larger type is used the charge must be based on the brevier measurement. There was reason for this addition because some of the newspapers used display type and there was no uniformity of charge for the same work, and this led to the adoption of the word rate. The present law includes notices of election and all legal notices.

Now as to the misunderstanding as to the proper charge for election notices. In the pamphlet of election laws compiled under direction of the Secretary of State at page 6 the following is given as the law: "Accounts for advertising are paid by the Comptroller General at the rate of not exceeding one dollar per 75 words for the first and 50 cents per 75 words for each subsequent insertion, in each of said newspapers. The type used must be not larger than solid brevier and no leads must be used. Accounts for advertising must be approved by the Commissioners of Election or a majority of them, and can be collected by the messenger who brings the returns to Columbia, if he has proper authority to do so, and accounts are in proper form." Why in this it should be required to use solid brevier and no leads we do not understand for certainly the words would be no more if larger type were used.

At page 18 of the same pamphlet the following is quoted from the Code of laws of 1902: "Notices of election published in any gazette or county newspaper, by authority of the proper board of election commissioners, as required by law, shall be paid for at the rates prescribed by law for legal notices." This rate is one dollar an inch for the first insertion and 50 cents an inch for each subsequent insertion to be set in solid brevier, and the form is to be prescribed by the Secretary of State, and the notice to be published not exceeding three times. Both of these provisions are in the statutes, and the Secretary of State did right in printing them in his compilation.

But the law that settles the question of charge is the appropriation bill which has a provision that the Comptroller General shall pay for these notices at the rate of one dollar per 75 words for the first insertion and 50 cents per 75 words for each subsequent insertion. That is the appropriation bill, and the Secretary of State is in the matter. Bills will have to be made in accordance with this provision before they will be paid.

In most sections of Newberry County the material for making macadam roads is alongside the highway and we believe with a good rock crusher we could build macadam roads at a nominal cost. The biggest outlay would be the purchase of the machinery. It would necessitate a steam crusher, but when we had a mile of road built it would last for twenty years and would be a comfort to those who had to travel it, not to speak of the saving of time, and the additional amount which could be handled with the same size and wagon, with less injury to both. We would like to see it tried.

In Greenwood County the supervisor claims to have the best roads of any county in the State when the entire county is considered. He has a chain-gang of about thirty all the time and starts from the court house and follows a road to the limit of the county and keeps that up until all the roads are covered, and he now has his roads in fine condition. Of course he is not macadamizing, but he is working the roads and not doing patch work.

Take Newberry County and there is rock enough in a stone's throw of the roads in most sections to macadamize them, and of the right size for the crusher. It would be economy to utilize this material.

The municipal primary and the Methodist conference, according to the present understanding, will reach Newberry at about the same time. We would suggest to the chairman of the Democratic executive committee that he issue his call for a citizens' meeting at an early date so that the primary may be held sooner this year and a conflict avoided, if the citizens so desire.

Columbia is soon to have a line of steamboats running up to her and then she will get the benefit of a water rate on freight which will make her a fine distributing point for the rest of the State. No city in the South has a brighter future than the capital of South Carolina. She has grown rapidly in the last few years.

Let everybody get ready to go to the Fair next week. It is the occasion of the annual reunion of the people of the State. Take all the children as well as the wife and mother. It will do them good. A little pleasure and an outing are good for them as well as the rest of us.

DESTRUCTION OF ENTIRE COTTON CROP.

Would Have Seen the Result in Newberry County if Mr. J. H. Suber, from Texas, Had Opened a Small Bottle in His Possession Containing Mexican Boll Weevil.

Mr. J. H. Suber, of Bryan, Texas, arrived in the city Thursday night on a visit to relatives here. He brought with him, in a small bottle, enough Mexican boll weevils to destroy the entire cotton crop of Newberry County.

This weevil is the insect that is at present causing so much trouble in the State of Texas. It first made its appearance there in 1900, but not much attention was given it until the following year, 1901, when it had sufficiently increased in numbers to do considerable damage. At the present time Mr. Suber says there are whole fields of cotton, on good bottom land worth \$40 an acre, in his own county, in which owing to the onslaughts of this small insect, there will not be even an attempt to pick any cotton. He has been living in Texas twenty-five years, during which time he has been over a considerable portion of the State, and says he has never seen as poor a crop.

The weevil begins its work early in the spring, when the cotton commences fruiting. It punctures the square and feeds from the inside of the boll. Besides cotton it attacks fruit and acorns.

Mr. Suber says the worst part of the whole matter is that it looks as if the weevil has come to stay. The cotton planters of Texas are simply helpless in its power.

Some time ago the United States government appropriated \$20,000 and sent experts to look into the matter, but so far all their efforts and experiments have been of no avail. The weevil continues to flourish, and with the exception of a very small portion, has covered the entire State.

Mr. Suber said he knew this state of affairs was going to have a very appreciable effect on the Texas crop and therefore on the total crop of the South, but he was not prepared to attempt to make an estimate. He said, however, that some of the Texas people did not look upon it as altogether an unmixed evil. For it would teach them that Texas land will raise other crops than cotton, a fact of which most of them do not now take advantage, and if it would encourage more diversified farming, it would be regarded by some as almost a providential interference. This is the view taken by Mr. Suber himself.

However, the farmers of Newberry County need not become alarmed. However much Mr. Suber may favor diversified farming, he did not bring his weevils with the intention of destroying Newberry's cotton crop, and they have been burned in the presence of Mr. W. A. Hill. Being dead, they are now good weevils and the only kind wanted in South Carolina.

CHILDREN'S DAY IN WEST END

Rally Day Service at the O'Neill Street Methodist Church Sunday Evening—An Interesting Program and Good Collection—Other News.

Rally day service, by the children of the O'Neill Street Methodist church, was held in the church Sunday evening. The interesting program which had been arranged for the occasion was excellently carried out in every particular. A large audience was in attendance, and the occasion was most pleasant and helpful throughout.

Following is the program:

Opening song—"Blow ye the trumpet."

Prayer by Rev. W. I. Herbert.

Responsive reading—"A call to praise."

Song—"A missionary band," by 105 little children.

Recitation—"I am needed," by three little boys.

Recitation—"All for Jesus," by Misses Eva Bouknight, Ploma Reynolds, and Geneva Thornton.

Recitation—"Have you seen the light," by Miss Doshia Franklin.

Song—"All around the world."

Questions and answers—"Information about Brazil."

Solo—"Will there be any stars," by Rev. W. I. Herbert.

Recitation—"Have ye heard," by Miss Eva Hardeman.

Recitation—"The silver and gold are mine," by Joseph Carter.

Song—"Come and help us."

Recitation—"America and Japan," by ten little children.

Song—"From Greenland's icy mountains," by choir.

Recitation—"Heart to heart," by Miss Arlie Stone.

Recitation—"When thou prayest," by Miss Mattie Bouknight.

Song—"O, how we pity them," by 105 little children.

Recitation—"Children who worship idols," by Miss Mattie Belle Perry.

Recitation—"Lenore's mite box," by Miss Ella Cook.

A PLEASANT OCCASION.

The Dance Given by the German Club on Friday Night.

The Newberry German Club gave its first dance in the armory on Friday evening. While the attendance was not large, the occasion was most pleasant and was thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

The german was gracefully led by Mr. W. C. Schenck.

The following couples were in attendance:

Miss Neville Pope with Mr. J. Y. McFall.

Miss Vinnie Mae Wilson with Dr. D. L. Boozer.

Miss Mary Nance Fair with Mr. T. H. Pope.

Miss Azile Pool with Dr. W. E. Pelham, Jr.

Miss Bessie Simmons with Mr. Robert Mayes.

Miss Lizzie Glenn with Mr. W. C. Tyree.

Miss Maud Fant with Mr. H. T. Renwick.

Miss Rosa Moore with Mr. G. F. Wearn.

Miss Maud Langford with Mr. C. P. Pelham.

Miss Julia Paisley with Mr. P. F. Gilder.

Miss Janie Vance with Mr. W. C. Schenck.

Stags: Messrs. O. O. Copeland, Johnstone Coppock, F. H. Dominick, H. W. Dominick, J. G. Daniels, W. F. Eberhardt, P. G. Ellis, T. K. Johnstone, W. A. Jamison, Jr., S. H. McLean, J. S. Renwick, M. L. Spearman, C. L. Suber, P. E. Scott, W. B. Seabrook, Brown, E. P. Scholtz.

Chaperones: Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Pifer, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. M. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pool.

The next club german will be given some time during the month of November.

MAY Red Seed Wheat and Texas Rust Proof Oats for sale by James F. Todd.

Arion Male Quartette

Auspices THE BACHELOR MAIDS

Opera House, Newberry, Oct. 23rd.

Most highly Recommended by Press.

A good performance throughout.

OPERA HOUSE

Barhardt, Pifer & Eberhart, Lessees.

COMING SATURDAY, 25th. OCTOBER

THE Brennan-Sale Company

Blanch Brennan and James Sale

IN A Happy Pair

Mistaken Identity

AND One Christmas Eve

THE LATEST SUCCESS.

HULLS AND MEAL

Can supply your needs for Cotton Seed

Hulls and Meal.

Hulls 25c. hundred pounds.

Meal \$1.15 per sack, (100 pounds.)

In exchanging Hulls and Meal for Seed, will sell the Hulls at 22 1/2

cents per hundred pounds and sell meal at \$1.10 per sack, (100 lbs.) and pay market price for Seed at Newberry Oil Mill.

L. W. FLOYD, Manager.

Hello Central!---Give Me 48

The Newberry Granite Front Confectionery and Bakery!

They have all kinds of Bread—

Patent Bread, Milk Bread, Graham Bread, Cream Bread, Cap Bread, Rye Bread,

Kimmel Seed Rye Bread, Boston Brown Bread.

Largest assortment of fresh, fancy Cakes ever shown here before.

Orders taken by Telephone and delivered free of charge as we have our own delivery wagon.

Call and see us, or ring up Phone No. 48.

H. A. Meyer & Son.

Drayton Rutherford Chapter D. C.

At a meeting of the Drayton Rutherford Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy held on Tuesday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Miss Fannie McCaughrin; vice presidents, Misses Cora Dominick and Lucy McCaughrin; secretary, Mrs. R. D. Wright; treasurer, Miss Moriat Martin. Miss Fannie McCaughrin and Mrs. Dr. O. B. Mayer were elected delegates to the State convention, which meets at Anderson in December, with Miss Lizzie Glenn and Mrs. H. C. Hunter alternates.

Minnaugh's Styles and Prices.

There is little use in this column to say anything of the quality of Minnaugh's goods and Minnaugh's prices. He does that himself on the first page of this issue. Suffice it to say, if you want good goods at low prices it will pay you to inspect his stock.

The Brennan-Sale Company

Will be in Newberry on next Saturday night, Oct. 25th, presenting in one evening three bright and pretty comedies. Miss Brennan, who has made for herself an enviable reputation in her chosen profession, whether portraying the characters in classic drama or in lighter comedy, and who is fair, winsome and petite, will be with the company.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Schumpert's Roller Mill

Customers are hereby notified that Schumpert's roller mill will be closed during Fall week.

G. O. J. P. COOK FOR CHEAP Groceries.

THE world can't beat our men's \$5.00 all wool suits. Wooten.

OUR \$5.00 Broadcloth Jacket is the prettiest and best in the market for the money, at Wooten's.

RUBBER STAMPS—Name stamp 15c. per line. Pads 10c. Dated, merchants marking outfits. J. P. Cook, Newberry, S. C. Rubber Stamp Manu. fac'turer.

MONEY TO LOAN—We negotiate loans on improved farm lands at seven per cent. interest on amounts over one thousand dollars, and eight per cent. interest on amounts less than \$1,000. Long time and easy payments. Hunt, Hunt & Hunter, Attorneys.

CAFE DINING ROOM.—Meals can be had at all hours at the Cafe dining room on West Main street, opposite Klettner's. Always the best market affords at very moderate prices. Meals served in any style to suit any taste. Fresh oysters always on hand. McKENZIE & Son.

SPECTACLES AND EYEGLASSES Do your eyes ache and burn at night? I have the best trial case for fitting Spectacles and Eyeglasses, and can fit the most difficult eyes, with the proper glasses. I have fitted glasses for the best people in the county and can fit you. I use only the best grade Crystalline lenses. Come and give me a trial and be convinced. Satisfy one price to all. GUY DANIELS, Jeweler and Optician.

NOTICE E.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY forbidden to haul or remove any sand from the public highways in this county.

J. M. SCHUMPERT, County Supervisor.

Registration Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the books of registration for the town of Newberry, S. C., are now open and the undersigned as Supervisor of Registration for said town will keep said books open every day from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m., Sunday's excepted, including the 1st day of December, 1902.

W. S. LANGFORD, Sup. Reg.

Notice Final Settlement and Discharge.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I will make a final settlement on the estate of Mrs. Lula Maybelle Martin, nee Stewart, in the Probate Court of Newberry County, S. C., on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and will immediately thereafter apply for Letters Dismissory as guardian of the said estate.

MRS. IDA N. BOOZER, Guardian.

Newberry, S. C., Sept. 20th, 1902.

TO DRAW A JURY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, composing the Board of Jury Commissioners for Newberry County, State of South Carolina, will on the 24th day of October instant, at 9 o'clock a. m., in the office of the Clerk of Court for said County, openly and publicly draw thirty-six jurors to serve as jurors at the November term of the Court of Common Pleas for Newberry County, beginning November 10th, 1902, and continuing for one week.

W. W. CROMER, County Auditor,

JNO. L. EPPS, County Treasurer,

JNO. C. GOGGANS, Clerk of Court,

Board of Jury Commissioners for Newberry County, State of South Carolina.

Newberry, S. C., Oct. 13th, 1902.

For Sale—Land at a Bargain.

280 ACRES IN NO. 8 TOWNSHIP, part of old Croft Place, lying on road to Kempson's Ferry. Fine bottom lands on Beaver Dam, will be sold as a whole, or divided to suit purchasers.

130 Acres lying on road from Newberry to Longshores one mile from O'Neal's mill. Fine farming land on Bush River. Good dwelling and large stable and tenant house—very desirable small farm.

30 Acres of Land just outside of town limits, on the Columbia road; half original forest, good spring of water, and fine place for market garden.

700 Acres in No. 4 Township, two miles from Whitman's good dwelling, stables and all necessary tenant houses on place in good repair. Splendid cotton and corn lands, with good pasture the year round. To be bought at a bargain. Apply to JAMES MCINTOSH, Newberry, S. C.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

For Representative in Congress Third Congressional District.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

COUNTY OF NEWBERRY. Notice is hereby given that the General Election for Representative in Congress will be held at the voting precincts fixed by law in the county of Newberry on Tuesday, November 4, 1902, said day being Tuesday following the first Monday, as prescribed by law.

The qualifications for suffrage are as follows:

Residence in the State for two years, in the County one year, in the polling precinct in which the elector offers to vote four months, and the payment six months before any election of any poll tax then due and payable: Provided, That ministers in charge of an organized church and teachers of public schools shall be entitled to vote after six months' residence in the State, otherwise qualified.

Registration. Payment of all taxes, including poll tax, assessed and collectible during the previous year. The production of a certificate or of the receipt of the officer authorized to collect such taxes shall be conclusive proof of the payment thereof.

Before the hour fixed for opening the polls Managers and Clerks must and subscribes the Constitutional oath. The Chairman of the Board of Managers can administer the oath to the other Managers and to the Clerk; a Notary Public must administer the oath to the Chairman. The Managers elect their Chairman and Clerk.

Polls at each voting place must be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and closed at 4 o'clock p. m., except in the city of Charleston, where they shall be opened at 7 a. m. and closed at 6 p. m.

The Managers have the power to fill a vacancy, and if none of the Managers attend the citizens can appoint from among the qualified voters the Managers, who, after being sworn, can conduct the election.

At the close of the election, the Managers and Clerk must proceed publicly to open the ballot boxes and count the ballots therein, and continue without adjournment until the same is completed, and make a statement of the result for each office and sign the same.

Within three days thereafter, the Chairman of the Board, or some one designated by the Board, must deliver to the Commissioners of Election the poll list, the boxes containing the ballots and written statements of the result of the election.

The following MANAGERS OF ELECTION have been appointed to hold the election at the various precincts in the said county:

Newberry—M. J. Scott, D. F. Pifer and Jno. A. Sumner.

Factory—Wm. Bedenbaugh, Jno. M. Taylor and Ed. Rodelsperger.

Helena—T. G. Williams, C. J. Zobel and Welsh Wilbur.

Mt. Bethel—C. L. Leitzner, Jno. T. Oxner and S. Cunningham.

Glynnville—W. D. Rutherford, Sam Graham and Mark Smith.

Maybinton—W. B. Oxner, Ben H. Maybin and D. A. Thomas.

Whitmires—Jas. S. McCauley, Jno. P. Fant and Jno. Duckert.

Cromers—S. A. Jeter, A. C. Sligh and W. T. Coffey.

Jalapa—W. H. Eddy, Jno. H. Aull and W. L. Copeland.

Longshores—J. Will Wilson, S. E. Senn and K. M. Martin.

Williams—M. Dwight Smith, Henry M. Boozer and Jno. R. Scurry.

Utopia—David Paysinger, R. T. Buzhardt and Duffie D. Schumpert.

Prosperity—R. I. Stodemeier, C. S. Nichols and W. F. Bedenbaugh.

Hendrix Mill—L. L. Dominick, M. W. Bedenbaugh and H. L. Fellers.

Slighs—Charlie Eargle, J. B. Kempson and J. A. Miller.

Jolly Street—T. A. Epting, J. J. Kibler and Edmund Shealy.

Central School House—A. L. Aull, Jno. Sligh and J. P. Sheely.

Ponia—J. C. Aull, Q. M. Kinard and John Sumner.

Waltow—M. H. Folk, Jacob E. Cromer and L. B. Eargle.

St. Phillips—D. A. Ruff, Glenn Mett and J. Perry Halfacre.

Little Mountain—J. E. Boland, J. A. Sheely and R. P. Huffman.

The managers at each precinct named above are requested to delegate one of their number to secure boxes and blanks for the election. They can be secured on and after Thursday, October 30th, at J. W. White's store.

J. W. EARHARDT, J. B. DERRICK, E. B. MARTIN, Commissioners of Federal Election for Newberry County.

October 13th, 1902.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

ANY ONE TRESPASSING UPON the lands of the undersigned, in No. 6 Township, by bird hunting or otherwise, will be prosecuted.

J. LUTHER MAYER, ttd.

NOTICE.

THE SUPERVISOR OF SALUDA County and myself will be at Bouknight's Ferry at 10 a. m., Kempson's Ferry, at 1 p. m., and Simpson's Ferry at 3 p. m. on October 31, 1902, to let contracts for ferryman at said ferries.

J. M. SCUMPERT, Supervisor.

For Rent.

A GOOD THREE-HORSE FARM for rent, known as George B. Suber's near Bethlehem church. Bounded by the land of J. D. Suber, Mud and Cannon creeks. Has a good dwelling, tenant houses, hay meadows, pastures and other conveniences. For further information apply to Forest H. Suber, care of Lorick & Lowrance, Columbia, S. C.

Here Is Something

Here is something we want you to read, and read carefully. We want to talk to you about the good quality of our merchandise and our low prices, and we want to impress upon you right here that we never separate quality and price. No matter how low the price, the quality is still there—everything we sell is of standard quality. Here is one of the elements of our success: We make the price so low at all times and the character of our merchandise so high that any buyer can afford to buy of us. We are specialist in our lines which comprise

Dry goods, Dress goods, Silks, Velvets, White goods, Trimmings, Buttons, Embroideries, Laces, White and Red Flannel, Embroidered Flannel, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Domestic, Jeans, Calicoes, Homespun, Bleachings, Shirts, Outings, Flanellette, Ladies Wraps, Lace Curtain, Counterpanes, Yankee Notions.

In fact our large stock comprises almost anything you may ask for, all priced to suit you. Millinery is one of our strong points in all grades, cheap to very fine. We can please you in this department. Some solid, good shoes for all. We do not sell shoddy. Men's Shoes, Women's Shoes, Boy's Shoes, Girls' Shoes, Baby Shoes. Let us fit your feet in solid leather shoes, the kind that look well, wear well and cost moderately.

Walk Over Shoes for Men, Autoao Shoes for Women, Regina Shoes for Women, Ideal Shoe for Children. Come and examine our stock. YOURS TRULY,